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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence
Deputy Director of Central Intelligence

FROM : Charles E. Waterman
Vice Chairman, National Intelligence Council

SUBJECT : NIC Activity Report for 6-9 September 1983

I. DCI/DDCI-Assigned Tasks

Assistant NIO/Near East-South Asia prepared comments on a draft NSDD on Lebanon at the DCI's request on 8 September.

II. Interagency Papers

Draft estimates on Hong Kong, Kampuchea, and Soviet use of toxin weapons were readied for NFIB consideration at its 13 September meeting. Reps' coordination meetings on a draft Japan defense NIE and a fast-track SNIE on the Philippines are taking place today, and we expect them to be ready also for next week's NFIB meeting.

III. Of Special Interest This Week

Vice Chairman, NIC (C. Waterman) attended a meeting of the Strategic Planning Group chaired by the DoD Director of Net Assessment, Andrew Marshall; met with State's Director of Policy Planning, Stephen Bosworth, to arange joint long-range planning sessions; and met with UnderSecretary of Defense Fred Ikle's special planning group for Central America, also discussing future politico-military games with Dr. Ikle.

Assistant NIO/Africa attended an interagency meeting at State on 7 September to discuss the US position in upcoming bilateral talks with the French on foreign assistance to Senegal and Ivory Coast.

NIO/EA briefed the DCI on the Aquino assassination, discussed the same subject with the staff director of the Solarz Committee, participated in briefings for the Ambassador-designate to Kuala Lumpur and met

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with Assistant Secretary Wolfowitz concerning his testimony on the Philippines before the Solarz Committee.

Assistant NIOs/General Purpose Forces [redacted] and Assistant NIO/Strategic Programs [redacted] went to the Naval War College for two days of discussions with the CNO's Strategic Studies Group on various Soviet Warsaw Pact estimates and general Soviet military capabilities and developments.

NIO/Latin America, Assistant NIO/LA, and [redacted] of ALA/DI briefed the Kissinger Commission on political/economic trends, the balance of forces, and recent developments in Central America.

NIO/LA and his assistant met with Steve Dawkins, the US deputy chief of mission in Port-au-Prince, Haiti; and A/NIO/LA, together with DO officers, had a luncheon session with Ambassador Anderson (Dominican Republic); and participated in a debriefing of [redacted].

NIO/Narcotics accompanied the DDCI to a meeting of the National Narcotics Border Interdiction System Executive Board chaired by the Vice President.

NIO/NESA attended IG meetings at State on 5 and 8 September on Lebanon and met with NSC staffers on 7 September to discuss the crisis.

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NIO/SP met with Andy Marshall to discuss progress on the Joint Net Assessment on strategic forces; and briefed T. K. Jones, Deputy Undersecretary of Defense for Research and Engineering, Strategic Forces, and his military assistant, BG Elmer Brooks, USAF, on Soviet strategic force developments.

NIO/USSR-Eastern Europe and [redacted] of the NIC Analytic Group briefed NSA officers on Soviet civil disobedience and discussed collection requirements.

NIO/USSR-EE met with Prof. [redacted] to discuss the forthcoming NIE on pressures on the Soviet leadership.

NIO/Warning hosted a visit of Dr. Richard Beal, Special Assistant to the President, on 6 September. In discussions with VC/NIC we agreed to chair a seminar on Crisis Management and to involve CMF personnel in monthly warning meetings.

NIO/W met with [redacted] Acting Assistant Deputy Director for Estimates (DE), DIA, on 7 September to discuss new ways to strengthen relations between NIC and DE.

NIO/W and [redacted] met on 8 September to discuss I&W initiatives with [redacted]

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A/NI0/W attended the Federal Emergency Management Agency Emergency Operations Seminar on 7/8 September. A better understanding of FEMA structure, operational C2 upgrade and tasking should allow us to better integrate their operations center activities into the Washington Area Operations/Intelligence Center Chiefs Conference in the near future.

IV. Future Activities

(Nothing of particular interest to mention this week.)



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